

What is claimed is:

1. A dishwasher, comprising:
a cabinet defining a washing chamber;
a door pivotally mounted to the cabinet for movement between open and closed positions,
5 and having an inside surface facing the washing chamber when the door is in the closed position;
an upper rack, lower rack, and middle rack mounted to the cabinet for movement between extended and retracted positions; and
a silverware basket removably mounted to the inside surface of the door.
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2. The dishwasher of claim 1 wherein the inside surface of the door includes hooks for releasably mounting the basket to the door.
3. The dishwasher of claim 1 wherein the basket includes front, back, bottom and side
15 walls defining a receptacle with an open upper end for receiving objects to be washed, and a top wall movable between open and closed positions relative to the upper end.
4. The dishwasher of claim 3 wherein the basket top wall is removable relative to the upper end.
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5. The dishwasher of claim 3 wherein the basket further includes a handle extending upwardly along the inside surface of the door.
6. The dishwasher of claim 1 further comprising a second silverware basket
25 removably mounted to the inside surface of the door.
7. The dishwasher of claim 5 wherein the first and second silverware baskets are separate from one another.

8. The dishwasher of claim 1 wherein the inside surface of the door is recessed and the basket resides substantially within the recess with the lower rack overlying the basket when in the extended position.

- 5 9. A dishwasher comprising:
a cabinet with a door;
three racks mounted in the cabinet for movement between extended and retracted positions;
a silverware basket mounted on the door;
the door having molded hooks for releasably mounting the basket to the door.

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10. The dishwasher of claim 9 wherein the basket includes a pivotal cover movable between open and closed positions.

11. The dishwasher of claim 9 further comprising a cover removably mounted on the
15 basket.

12. The dishwasher of claim 9 wherein the basket includes an upwardly extending handle.

- 20 13. The dishwasher of claim 9 further comprising a second silverware basket removably mounted to the inside surface of the door.

14. The dishwasher of claim 13 wherein the first and second silverware baskets are separate from one another.

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15. The dishwasher of claim 13 wherein the baskets are positioned side-by-side on the door.

16. The dishwasher of claim 9 wherein the hooks are integrally formed with the inside
30 surface of the door.